Mountain Weather Forecast

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 09 Jan 2024 until 23:59 on Wednesday 10 Jan 2024

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 09 Jan 2024 at 00:01

Confidence: High for the cold and mainly dry period of weather to continue through this week. Lower confidence for cloud amounts.

Headline for Tuesday 09 Jan 2024: Dry and sunny but very cold and windy conditions.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 09 Jan 2024

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** High Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Fog	Cloudy	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
10%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%	<05%

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Weather: Some isolated fog patches in valleys to start the day, otherwise a cold and frosty start with some decent spells of winter sunshine across the rest of the day. Remaining dry. Feeling bitterly cold with strong east-northeasterly winds on exposed slopes.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 95%, but 60% in early hours and also in the evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Very good visibility with any cloud above the summits during daytime. Some patchy low cloud and fog above 600m in the early hours, then again in the evening.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	25/31 NE	24/32 NE	25/34 NE	23/32 NE	21/31 NE	22/32 NE	22/31 NE
300	13/27 NE	14/27 NE	17/31 NE	15/29 NE	12/27 NE	13/28 NE	13/28 NE
Valley	12/26 NE	12/25 E	14/28 NE	12/26 E	10/26 NE	13/30 NE	13/27 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	-5/-14	-5/-14	-4/-12	-3/-11	-4/-12	-4/-12	-4/-12
300	-3/-9	-2/-9	-1/-7	-0/-6	-2/-7	-2/-8	-2/-8
Valley	-2/-8	-2/-7	0/-6	1/-4	-1/-6	-1/-7	-1/-6
Freezing Level*	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m	00m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A very cold day especially in exposure to the strong and gusty winds. Gusts of 50mph on high ridges and summits bring a risk of being blown over.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
03:00 on Tue 09 Jan 2024	0mm	0.2mm	0.4mm

Forecast for Wednesday 10 Jan 2024

Weather: Dry with clear spells overnight. Another dry and bright day with long sunny spells. Just the outside chance of a light wintry shower. Still feeling very cold with a severe wind chill.

Maximum wind: East or Northeast 35mph gusts 50mph at first, easing to 25mph gusts 35mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m: 90%.

Low cloud and visibility: Mostly very good. Brief reductions in any wintry showers.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Minus 2C rising to 4C.
At 600m: Minus 2 or 3C.
Freezing level: 200m rising to 600m.

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